

IMPACT

Testimony from Experience

October 12, 2025

Prelude *All Things Bright and Beautiful* Chris Kollar

Opening Song *I Love To Tell The Story* (v. 1,4) UMH #156

IMPACT in Action

Welcome/Announcements Pastor & Lynn Knight

Call to Worship Lynn Knight

Praise be to the God of compassion and comfort.

God meets us in our struggles and steadies us with grace.

God's comfort flows into our lives—

so that we may comfort others with the same love.

Come, let us worship the One who turns our pain into testimony.

We lift our voices and lives in praise to the God who carries us still.

Song of Praise *Blessed Be Your Name*

**Our Father who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread,
And forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those
who trespassed against us.
Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory forever.
Amen.**

Children's Chat

Becky Maffei

Inside the Ripple

Cassandra Obert and Dan Carlson

Song of Preparation

TFWS #2153

I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me (v. 1,3)

Unison Prayer for Illumination

Lynn Knight

Holy Spirit, open our hearts to hear Your Word. Let the testimony of scripture and the testimony of our lives echo with Your comfort and truth. May what we hear today become ripples of grace in our living. Amen.

Scripture

2 Corinthians 1:3–7

Mark Johnson

Word of God for the People of God. **Thanks be to God.**

Message Starter

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Message

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Pastor

Prayer of Confession

Lynn Knight

**Merciful God,
we confess that too often we stay silent when we could speak of**

Your love. We hide our struggles, afraid of being seen as weak. We doubt that our stories matter, and we forget that You meet us in every trial. Forgive us, O God. Free us to testify—not to our strength, but to Yours. Help us trust that even our scars can become signs of Your grace. Amen.

Words of Assurance		Pastor
Song of Dedication	<i>Great Is Thy Faithfulness</i>	Choir
Giving Back to God		Pastor
Doxology		UMH #64
	<i>Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord god Almighty</i>	
Offertory Prayer		Lynn Knight
Going Forth Song		UMH #369
	<i>Blessed Assurance</i> (v. 1,3)	
Benediction		Pastor
Postlude	<i>Majestic Praise</i>	Chris Kollar

Worship Notes:

Pastor: Rev. Jesse Farias **Worship Leader:** Lynn Knight **Scripture Reader:** Mark Johnson
Music Team: Ryan Batcheller, Eric and Jennifer Bowker, Jeff Mitchell, Pat Gerdes, Orion Cutler-Ebbers, Nicole Cassidy, and Diana Young **Organ/Piano:** Chris Kollar **Producer:** Port Orchard U.M.C. Audio Visual Team

This Week's Meetings/Activities:

October 12th (Today) Blessing of the Animals Service @ **1pm**

October 13th (Monday) **Office Closed; No** Clothing Closet; Caregivers Support Group @ 11am

October 14th (Tuesday) Women in Mission @ 10am; Zoom Book Study @ 1:30pm; Finance @ 6:30pm

October 16th (Thursday) Bell Practice @ 5pm; Music Team @ 6:30pm; Choir @ 7:15pm

October 18th (Saturday) Celebration of Life for Marsha Lehmann @ 1:30pm

Next Week:

October 19th (Sunday) In Stitches Craft Group @ 10:45am; Green Team @ 11am

October 20th (Monday) Clothing Closet @ 9am; Social Justice Group @ 6:30pm @ Reddick's home

October 21st (Tuesday) Zoom Book Study @ 1:30pm; Charge Conference @ 6:30pm

October 23rd (Thursday) Bell Choir @ 5pm; Music Team @ 6:30pm; Choir @ 7:15pm

October 24th (Friday) Blue Ocean Book Club @ noon @ Blue Ocean Restaurant

October 25th (Saturday) Sharon Steven's Memorial Service @ 10am

Blessing of the Animals

Today at 1pm

Bring your pet to be blessed. Please have them on a leash or otherwise contained.

Collecting Infant Formula

Since the government shut down- WIC/SNAP benefits are stopped. Many families need formula.

We are having a **Harvest Party on October 26 from 3pm to 6pm**. Invite your friends and neighbors. There will be a performer, karaoke, chili cook off, crafts, bouncy house, and a family friendly costume contest. Would you like to help? Please contact the church office.

October Donations for Helpline: Canned Green Beans & Boxed Stuffing

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